

# IQ plus® 210

*Digital Weight Indicator*

*Version 1.0*

## Installation Manual



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# About This Manual

This manual is intended for use by service technicians responsible for installing and servicing IQ plus® 210 digital weight indicators.

Configuration and calibration of the indicator can be accomplished using the indicator front panel keys, the EDP command set, or Version 2.3 or later of the Revolution™ configuration utility. See Section 3.1 on page 11 for information about configuration methods.



## Warning

*Some procedures described in this manual require work inside the indicator enclosure. These procedures are to be performed by qualified service personnel only.*



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## 1.0 Introduction

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The IQ plus 210 is a single-channel digital weight indicator housed in a NEMA 4X/IP66-rated stainless steel enclosure. The indicator front panel consists of a large (.8 in, 20 mm), six-digit, seven-segment LED display, seven LED annunciators, and two piezo switches used to zero the scale and select the displayed units. Features include:

- Drives up to four 350Ω load cells
- Supports 4- and 6-wire load cell connections
- Two configurable digital inputs
- Single serial port supports full duplex, RS-232 communications at up to 9600 bps
- Available in 115 VAC and 230 VAC versions

### 1.1 Operating Modes

The IQ plus 210 has two modes of operation:

#### Normal (weighing) mode

Normal mode is the “production” mode of the indicator. The indicator displays the gross weight, and the LED annunciators described on page 2 indicate scale status and the type of weight value displayed. Once configuration is complete and a legal seal is affixed to the back of the indicator, this is the only mode in which the IQ plus 210 can operate.

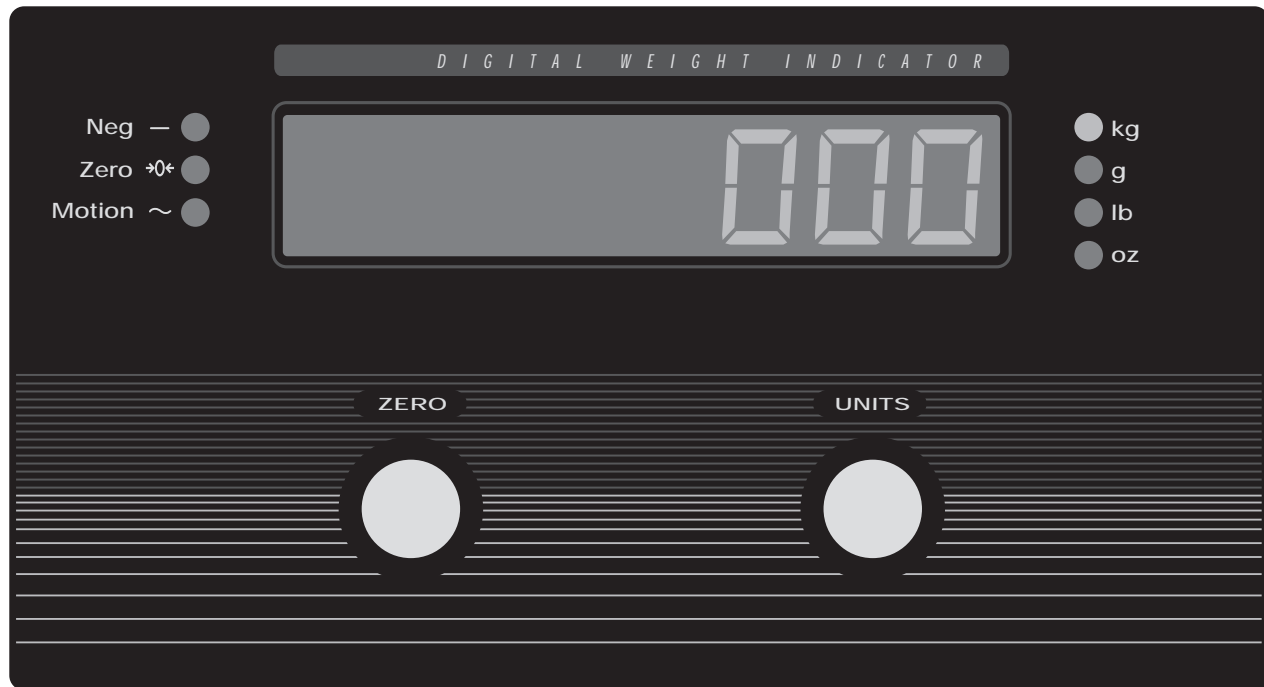
#### Setup mode

Most of the procedures described in this manual require the indicator to be in setup mode, including configuration and calibration.

To enter setup mode, remove the large fillister head screw from the enclosure backplate. Insert a screwdriver or a similar tool into the access hole and press the setup switch once. The indicator display changes to show the word *CONFIG*.

## 1.2 Front Panel

Figure 1-1 shows the IQ plus 210 LED annunciators, buttons, and normal mode key functions.



**ZERO**  
Set scale weight to zero

**UNITS**  
Change displayed units

Figure 1-1. IQ plus 210 Front Panel, Showing LED Annunciators and Normal Mode Key Functions

## 1.3 LED Annunciators

The IQ plus 210 display uses a set of seven LED annunciators to provide additional information about the value being displayed:

- **Neg** annunciator lights to show that the displayed value is negative.
- **Zero**: Weight is within 0.25 graduations of zero. This annunciator lights when the scale is zeroed.
- **Motion**: Scale in motion outside the specified motion band. Zeroing and print operations can only be done when the motion LED is off.
- **lb**, **kg**, **oz**, and **g** annunciators indicate the units associated with the displayed value: lb=pounds, kg=kilograms, oz=ounces, g=grams. **lb** and **oz** annunciators are both lit when the displayed weight is in pounds and ounces.

## 1.4 Indicator Operations

Basic IQ plus 210 operations are summarized below.

### Zero Scale

1. Remove material from the scale and wait for the **Motion** LED to go out.
2. Press the **ZERO** button. The **Zero** annunciator lights to indicate the scale is zeroed.

### Change Display Units

Press the **UNITS** button to change the displayed units between primary and alternate units. The LED annunciators on the right side of the display show the current displayed units. If more than one alternate unit is configured, the display cycles through the alternate units before returning to primary units; if no alternate units are configured, the display does not change when the button is pressed.

## 2.0 Installation

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This section describes procedures for connecting load cells, digital inputs, and serial communications cables to the IQ plus 210 indicator. See Section 2.6 on page 6 for assembly drawings and parts lists.

### 2.1 Unpacking and Assembly

Immediately after unpacking, visually inspect the IQ plus 210 to ensure all components are included and undamaged. The shipping carton should contain the indicator with attached tilt stand, this manual, and a parts kit. If any parts were damaged in shipment, notify Rice Lake Weighing Systems and the shipper immediately.

### 2.2 Enclosure Disassembly

The indicator enclosure must be opened to connect cables for load cells, communications, and digital inputs.



#### Warning

*The IQ plus 210 has no on/off switch. Before opening the unit, ensure the power cord is disconnected from the power outlet.*



#### Caution

- *Use a wrist strap to ground yourself and protect components from electrostatic discharge (ESD) when working inside the indicator enclosure.*
- *This unit uses double pole/neutral fusing which could create an electric shock hazard. Procedures requiring work inside the indicator must be performed by qualified service personnel only.*
- *The supply cord serves as the power disconnect for the IQ plus 210. The power outlet supplying the indicator must be installed near the unit and be easily accessible*

Ensure power to the indicator is disconnected, then remove the screws that hold the backplate to the enclosure body, then lift the backplate away from the enclosure and set it aside.

### 2.3 Cable Connections

The IQ plus 210 provides three cord grips for cabling into the indicator: two for the power cord and load cell cabling, the third for communications and digital input cables. The free cord grip comes with a plug installed to prevent moisture from entering the enclosure. If your application requires serial communication or digital input cabling, remove the plug and install cables as described in Sections 2.3.3 and 2.3.4 on page 5.

### 2.3.1 Cable Grounding

Except for the power cord, all cables routed through the cord grips should be grounded against the indicator enclosure. Do the following to ground shielded cables:

- Use the lockwashers, clamps, and keps provided in the parts kit to install grounding clamps on the studs adjacent to the cord grips. Install grounding clamps only for cord grips that will be used; do not tighten nuts.
- Route cables through cord grips and grounding clamps to determine cable lengths required to reach cable connectors. Mark cables to remove insulation and shield as described below:
- For cables with foil shielding, strip insulation and foil from the cable half an inch (15 mm) past the grounding clamp (see Figure 2-1). Fold the foil shield back on the cable where the cable passes through the clamp. Ensure silver (conductive) side of foil is turned outward for contact with the grounding clamp.
- For cables with braided shielding, strip cable insulation and braided shield from a point just past the grounding clamp. Strip another half inch (15 mm) of insulation *only* to expose the braid where the cable passes through the clamp (see Figure 2-1).

- **IMPORTANT!** For load cell cables, strip the yellow shield wire 3/4" past the grounding clamp. Fold wire back and secure between the cable and clamp. Shield wire function is provided by contact between the cable shield and the grounding clamp.
- Route stripped cables through cord grips and clamps. Ensure shields contact grounding clamps as shown in Figure 2-1. Tighten grounding clamp nuts.
- Finish installation using cable mounts and ties to secure cables inside of indicator enclosure.

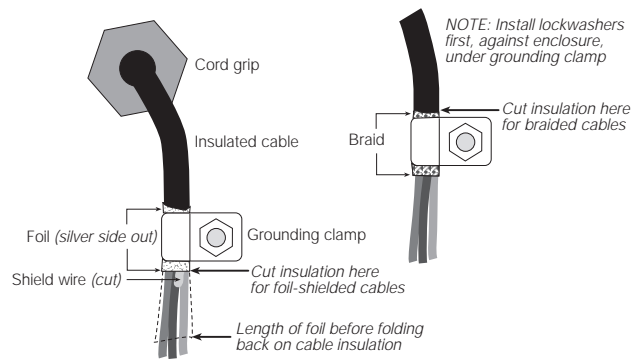


Figure 2-1. Grounding Clamp Attachment for Foil-Shielded and Braided Cabling

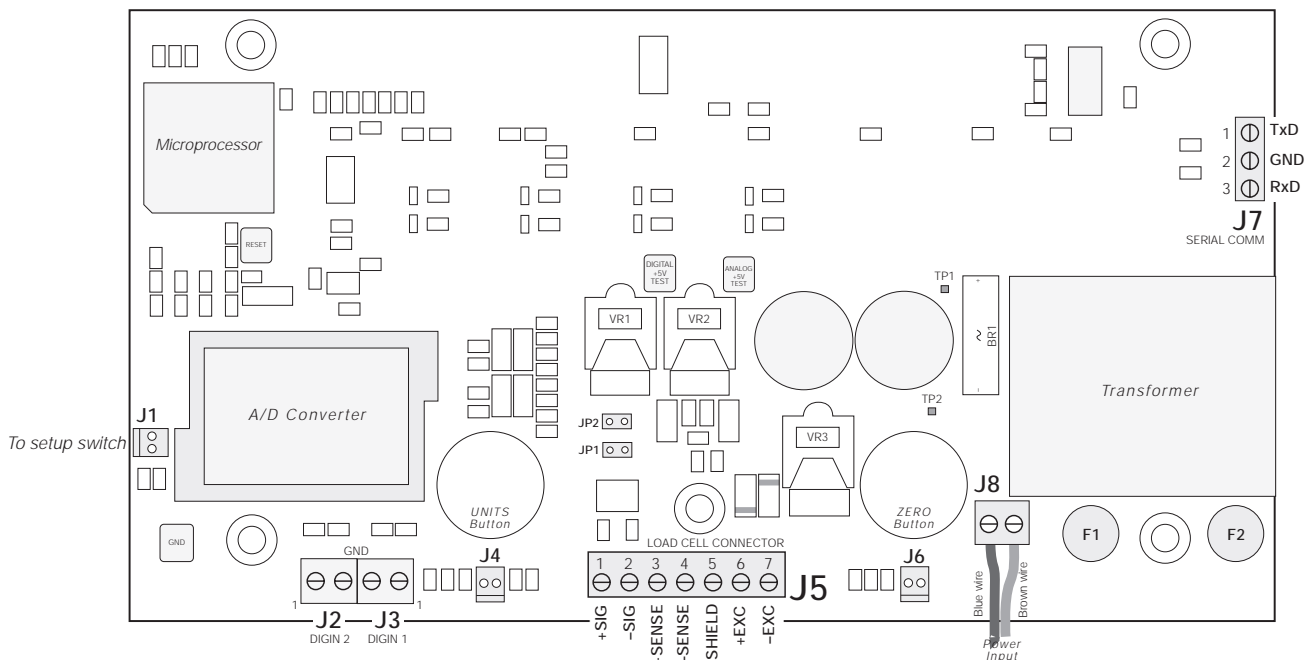


Figure 2-2. IQ plus 210 CPU and Power Supply Board



### 2.3.2 Load Cells

Wire the load cell cable from the load cell or junction box to connector J5 as shown in Table 2-1. If using 6-wire load cell cable (with sense wires), remove jumpers JP1 and JP2 (see Figure 2-2). For 4-wire installation, leave jumpers JP1 and JP2 on.

When connections are complete, use two cable ties to secure the load cell cable to the inside of the enclosure.

J5 Pin	Function
1	+SIG
2	-SIG
3	+SENSE
4	-SENSE
5	SHIELD (see NOTE below)
6	+EXC
7	-EXC
NOTES:	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>SHIELD wire connection not used.</b> Use grounding procedure described in Section 2.3.1 on page 4.</li> <li>• For 6-wire connections, remove jumpers JP1 and JP2.</li> </ul>	

Table 2-1. J5 Pin Assignments

### 2.3.3 Serial Communications

To attach serial communications cables, connect communications cables to connector J7 as shown in Table 2-2. Use cable ties to secure serial cable to the inside of the enclosure.

Use the SERIAL menu to configure serial communications. See Section 3.2.4 on page 19 for configuration information.

J7 Pin	Label	Function
1	TxD	RS-232 TxD
2	GND	RS-232 Ground
3	RxD	RS-232 RxD

Table 2-2. J7 Pin Assignments

### 2.3.4 Digital Inputs

Digital inputs (connectors J2 and J3) can be used to perform remote ZERO and UNITS key presses or to send serial data to a printer (remote PRINT key function). The inputs are active (on) with low voltage (0 VDC) and can be driven by TTL or 5V logic without additional hardware. Use the DIG IN menu to configure the digital inputs. See Section 3.2.5 on page 20 for information about configuring the digital inputs.

## 2.4 Enclosure Reassembly

Once cabling is complete, position the backplate over the enclosure and reinstall the backplate screws. Use the torque pattern shown in Figure 2-3 to prevent distorting the backplate gasket. Torque screws to 15 in-lb (1.7 N-m).

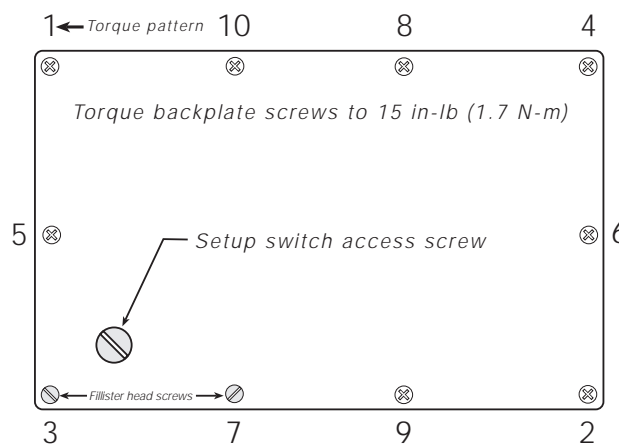


Figure 2-3. IQ plus 210 Enclosure Backplate

## 2.5 Board Removal

If you must remove the IQ plus 210 CPU board, use the following procedure:

1. Disconnect power to the indicator. Remove backplate as described in Section 2.2 on page 3.
2. Remove connections to J5 (load cell cable), J7 (serial communications), J2 and J3 (digital inputs), J4 and J6 (piezo button inputs), and J1 (setup switch). Remove blue and brown power input wires at J8. See Figure 2-2 on page 4 for connector locations.
3. Remove the five nuts from the CPU board, then lift the board out of the enclosure.

To replace the CPU board, reverse the above procedure. Be sure to reinstall cable ties to secure all cables inside the indicator enclosure.

## 2.6 IQ plus 210 Replacement Parts

Table 2-3 lists replacement parts for the IQ plus 210, including all parts referenced in Figures 2-4 through 2-8. The tilt stand assembly is shown in Figure 2-9 on page 10; tilt stand assembly parts are listed in Table 2-4 on page 10.

Ref Number	PN	Description (Quantity)	Figure
1	14626	Kep nuts, 8-32NC hex (3)	Figure 2-4 on page 7, Figure 2-7 on page 8
2	53651	Display and CPU board assembly, 115 VAC (1)	Figure 2-5 on page 8
	53650	Display and CPU board assembly, 230 VAC (1)	
3	15365	Board mounting spacers (5)	
4	52483	Enclosure backplate (1)	Figure 2-4 on page 7
5	15626	Cable grips, PG9 (2)	Figure 2-8 on page 9
6	30375	Nylon seal rings for cable grips (3)	
7	15627	Locknuts, PCN9 (3)	
8	19538	Cable grip plugs (2)	
9	45042*	Sealing washers (4)	Figure 2-4 on page 7
10	44676	Sealing washer for setup switch access screw (1)	
11	42640	Setup switch access screw, 1/4 x 28NF x 1/4 (1)	
12	41965	Power cord assembly, 115VAC (1)	Figure 2-8 on page 9
	45254	Power cord assembly, 230VAC (1)	
13	41964	Line filter assembly (1)	Figure 2-6 on page 8
14	14621	Kep nuts, 6-32NC hex (5)	Figure 2-5 on page 8
20	15134	Lock washers, internal tooth, No. 8 , Type A (4)	Figure 2-4 on page 7, Figure 2-7 on page 8
22	52853	Overlay membrane panel (1)	Figure 2-8 on page 9
23	52482	Enclosure (1)	
24	14862*	Screws, 8-32NC x 3/8 (4)	Figure 2-4 on page 7
26	45043	Ground wire, 4-in., No. 8 (1)	
27	39037	Backplate gasket (1)	
28	49910	Setup switch assembly (1)	
29	16892	Ground/Earth Label (1)	Figure 2-6 on page 8
30	15650	Cable tie mounts (1)	
31	45302	Line filter standoffs (2)	
33	15131	Lock washers, external tooth, No. 6, Type A (10)	
34	61113	Piezo switches (2)	Figure 2-8 on page 9
35	30623	Fillister head screws, 8-32NC x 7/16 (2)	Figure 2-4 on page 7
—	53848	200 mA TR5 subminiature fuses (2), 115 VAC	F1 and F2 in Figure 2-2 on page 4 (See Caution below)
	53881	100 mA TR5 subminiature fuses (2), 230 VAC	

\* Additional parts included in parts kit.



**Caution** For protection against risk of fire, replace fuses only with same type and rating fuse. See Section 6.4 on page 28 for complete fuse specifications.

Table 2-3. Replacement Parts

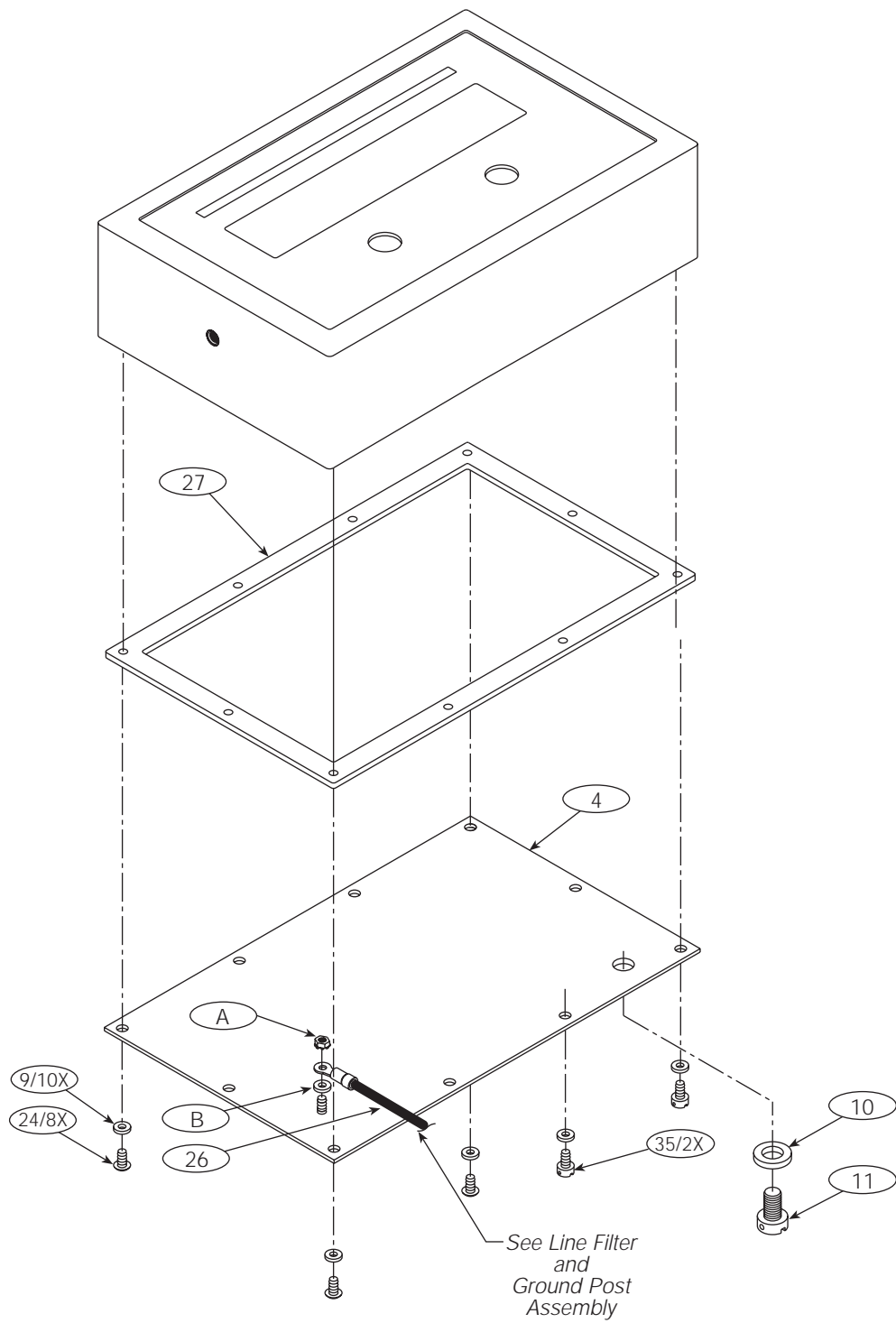


Figure 2-4. IQ plus 210 Backplate Assembly

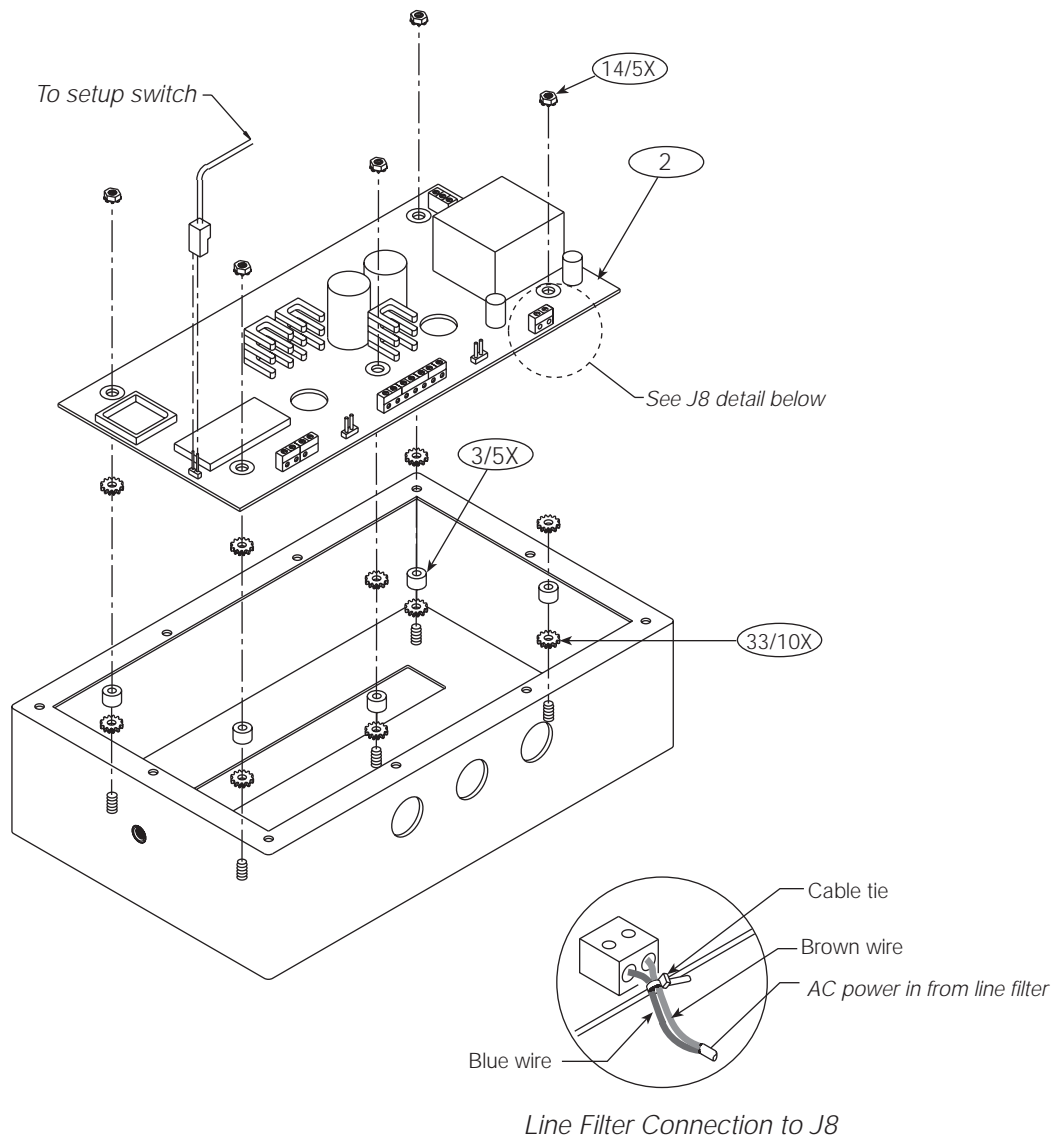


Figure 2-5. IQ plus 210 Enclosure and CPU Board

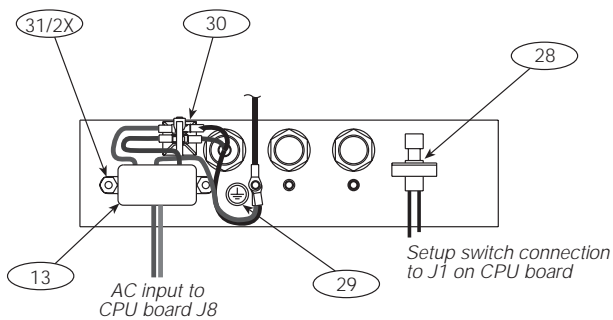


Figure 2-6. Line Filter Assembly

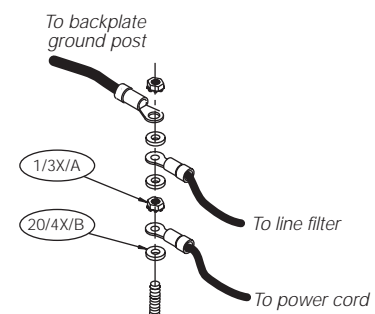


Figure 2-7. Ground Post Assembly

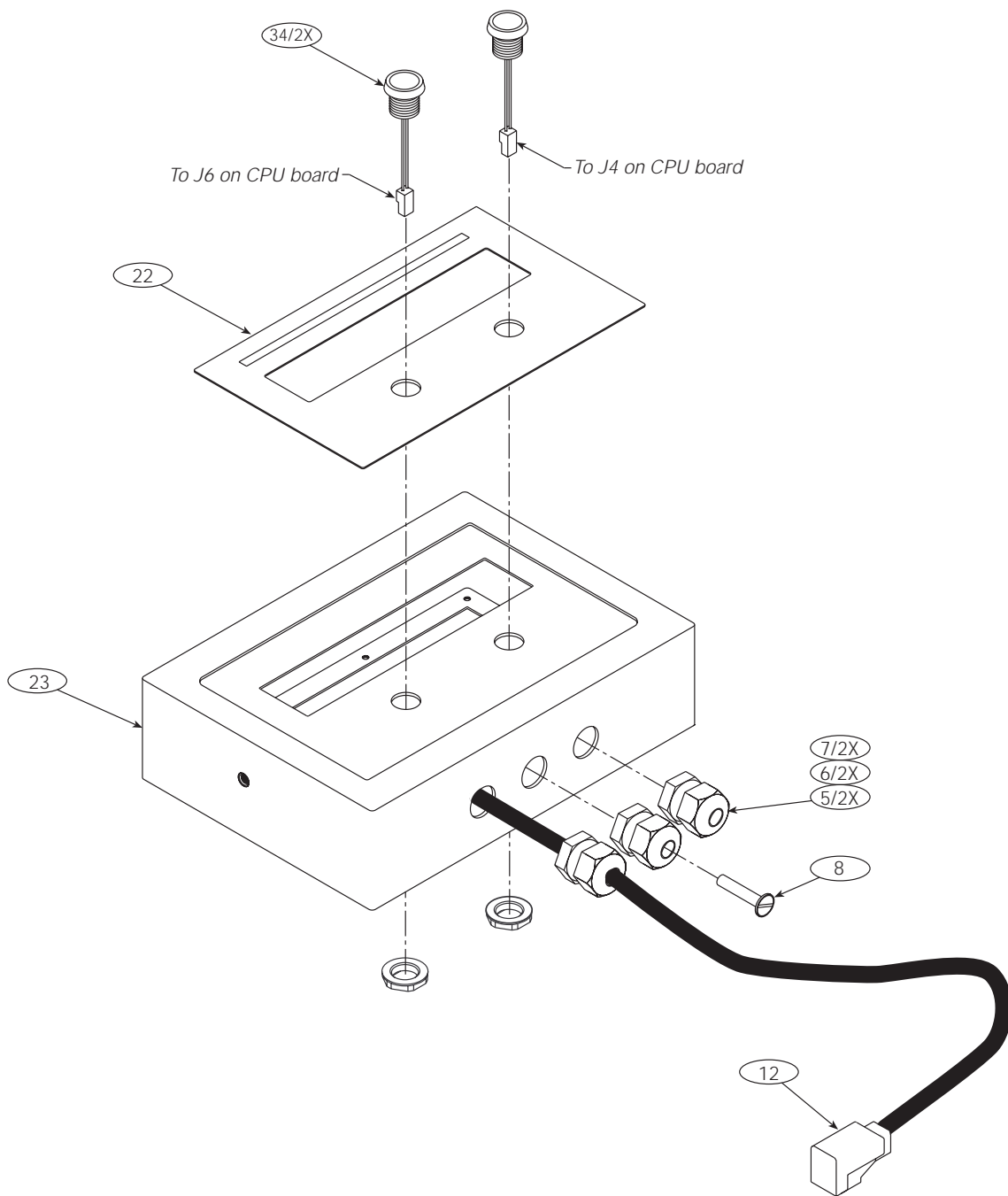
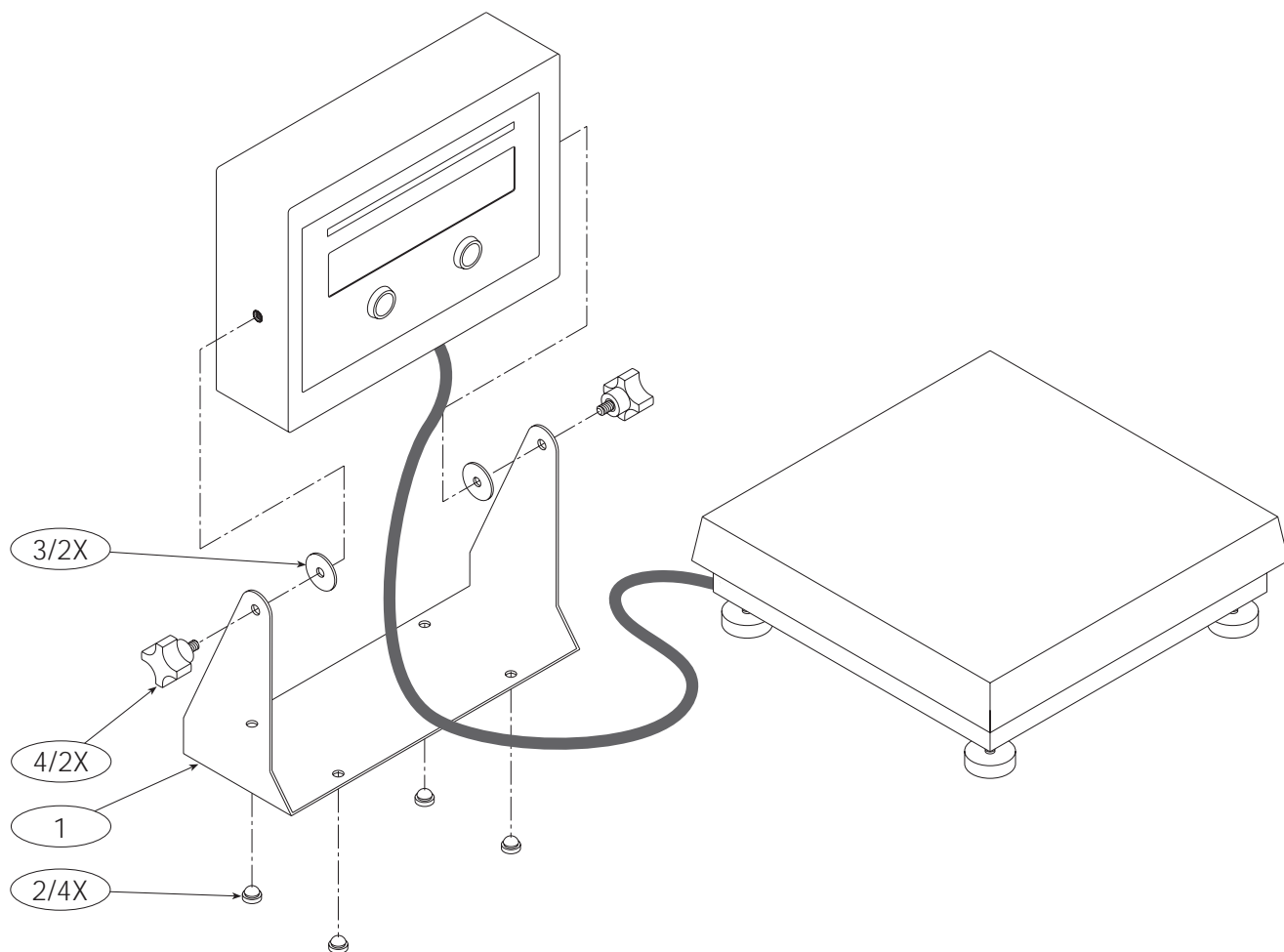


Figure 2-8. IQ plus 210 Enclosure and Overlay



*Figure 2-9. IQ plus 210 Tilt Stand Assembly*

Ref Number	PN	Description (Quantity)
1	29635	Tilt stand (1)
2	42149	Tilt stand feet (4)
3	15144	Nylon washers, 1/4x1x1/16 (2)
4	30342	Wing knobs (2)

*Table 2-4. Tilt Stand Assembly Parts*

## 3.0 Configuration

To configure the IQ plus 210 indicator, the indicator must be placed in setup mode. The setup switch is accessed by removing the large fillister head screw on the enclosure backplate. Insert a screwdriver into the access hole and press the switch to enter setup mode.

When the indicator is placed in setup mode, the word *CONFIG* is shown on the display. The CONFIG menu is the first of the main menus used to configure the indicator. Detailed descriptions of these menus are given in Section 3.2. When configuration is complete, press the setup switch again to exit setup mode, then replace the setup switch access screw.

### 3.1 Configuration Methods

The IQ plus 210 indicator can be configured by using the front panel buttons to navigate through a series of configuration menus or by sending commands or configuration data to the EDP port. Configuration using the menus is described in Section 3.1.3.

Configuration using the EDP port can be accomplished using either the EDP command set described in Section 5.0 or Version 2.3 or later of the Revolution™ configuration utility.

#### 3.1.1 Revolution Configuration

The Revolution configuration utility provides the preferred method for configuring the IQ plus 210 indicator. Revolution runs on a personal computer to set configuration parameters for the indicator. When Revolution configuration is complete, configuration data is downloaded to the indicator.



Figure 3-1. Sample Revolution Display

Revolution supports both uploading and downloading of indicator configuration data. This capability allows configuration data to be retrieved from one indicator, edited, then downloaded to another.

To use Revolution, do the following:

1. Install Revolution on an IBM-compatible personal computer running Windows® 3.11 or Windows 95. Minimum system requirements are 8MB of extended memory and at least 5MB of available hard disk space.
2. With both indicator and PC powered off, connect the PC serial port to the RS-232 pins on the indicator EDP port.
3. Power up the PC and the indicator. Use the setup switch to place the indicator in setup mode.
4. Start the Revolution program.

Figure 3-1 shows an example of one of the Revolution configuration displays.

Revolution provides online help for each of its configuration displays. Parameter descriptions provided in this manual for front panel configuration can also be used when configuring the indicator using Revolution: the interface is different, but the parameters set are the same.

#### 3.1.2 EDP Command Configuration

The EDP command set can be used to configure the IQ plus 210 indicator using a personal computer, terminal, or remote keyboard. Like Revolution, EDP command configuration sends commands to the indicator serial port; unlike Revolution, EDP commands can be sent using any external device capable of sending ASCII characters over a serial connection.

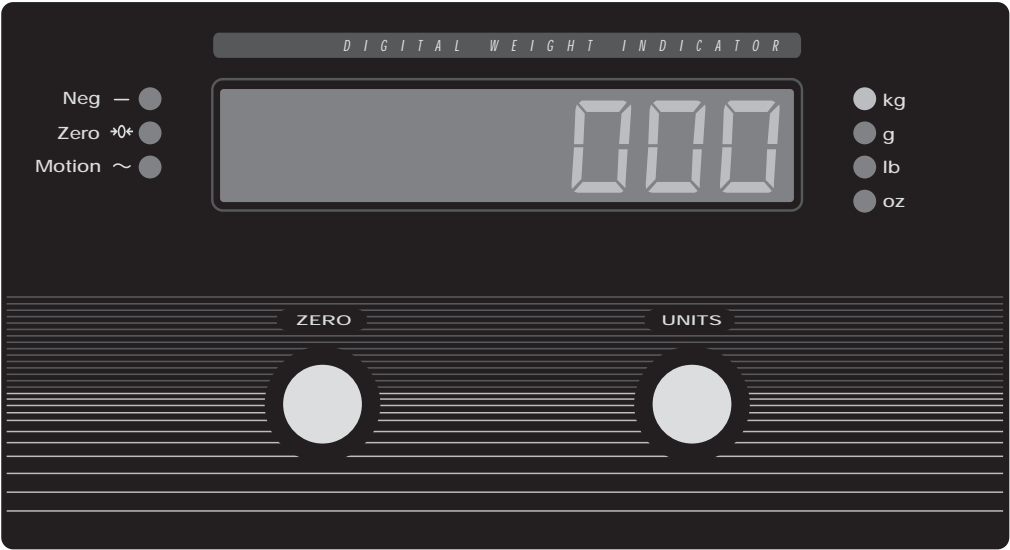
EDP commands duplicate the functions available using the indicator front panel and provide some functions not otherwise available. EDP commands can be used to simulate pressing front panel buttons, to configure the indicator, or to dump lists of parameter settings. See Section 5.0 on page 23 for more information about using the EDP command set.

3.1.3 Front Panel Configuration

The IQ plus 210 indicator can be configured using a series of menus accessed through the indicator front panel when the indicator is in setup mode. Table 3-1 summarizes the functions of each of the main menus.

Menu		Menu Function
CONFIG	Configuration	Configure grads, zero tracking, zero range, motion band, overload, and digital filtering parameters.
FORMAT	Format	Set format of primary units, select alternate display units.
CALIBR	Calibration	Calibrate indicator. See Section 4.0 on page 21 for calibration procedures.
SERIAL	Serial	Configure serial port.
DIG IN	Digital Input	Assign digital input functions.
DEFLT	Default	Restore default configuration.
VERS	Version	Display installed software version number.

Table 3-1. IQ plus 210 Menu Summary



**ZERO/ENTER**  
Move down in menu or  
enter parameter value and  
return to menu level above

**UNITS/RIGHT**  
Move right in menu /  
next parameter value

Figure 3-2. Front Panel Key Functions in Setup Mode



## Front Panel Menu Navigation

The front panel buttons are used to navigate through the menus in setup mode (see Figure 3-2). The **UNITS** (**RIGHT**) button scrolls right (horizontally) on the same menu level; the **ZERO** (**ENTER**) button moves down (vertically) to different menu levels and serves as an Enter key for selecting parameter values within the menus.

Most of the configuration menus have three or four levels. Figure 3-3 shows the general structure of the IQ plus 210 configuration menus. Note the following:

- On the first (main) menu level, press **RIGHT** to scroll through the menus. Pressing **RIGHT** from the **VERS** menu wraps around to the **CONFIG** menu. Press **ENTER** from any of the main menus to move down to the first parameter for that menu.

- On the middle (parameter) menu levels, press **RIGHT** to scroll through the parameter prompts for the menu. *When the last parameter is displayed, pressing **RIGHT** returns to the level above.* Press **ENTER** from any parameter prompt to move down to the values prompts for that parameter.
- On the bottom (parameter value) menu level, press **RIGHT** to scroll through the values for the parameter. Pressing **RIGHT** from the last value wraps around to first value. Press **ENTER** to select the value and return to the parameter prompt.

Figure 3-4 on page 14 shows an example of the navigation used to select a parameter value under the **SERIAL** menu.

To edit numerical values, use the **RIGHT** button to select the digit; use the **ENTER** button to increment or decrement the value of the flashing digit (see Figure 3-5 on page 14). Once all digits have been edited, press **ENTER** to save the value and return to the parameter prompt.

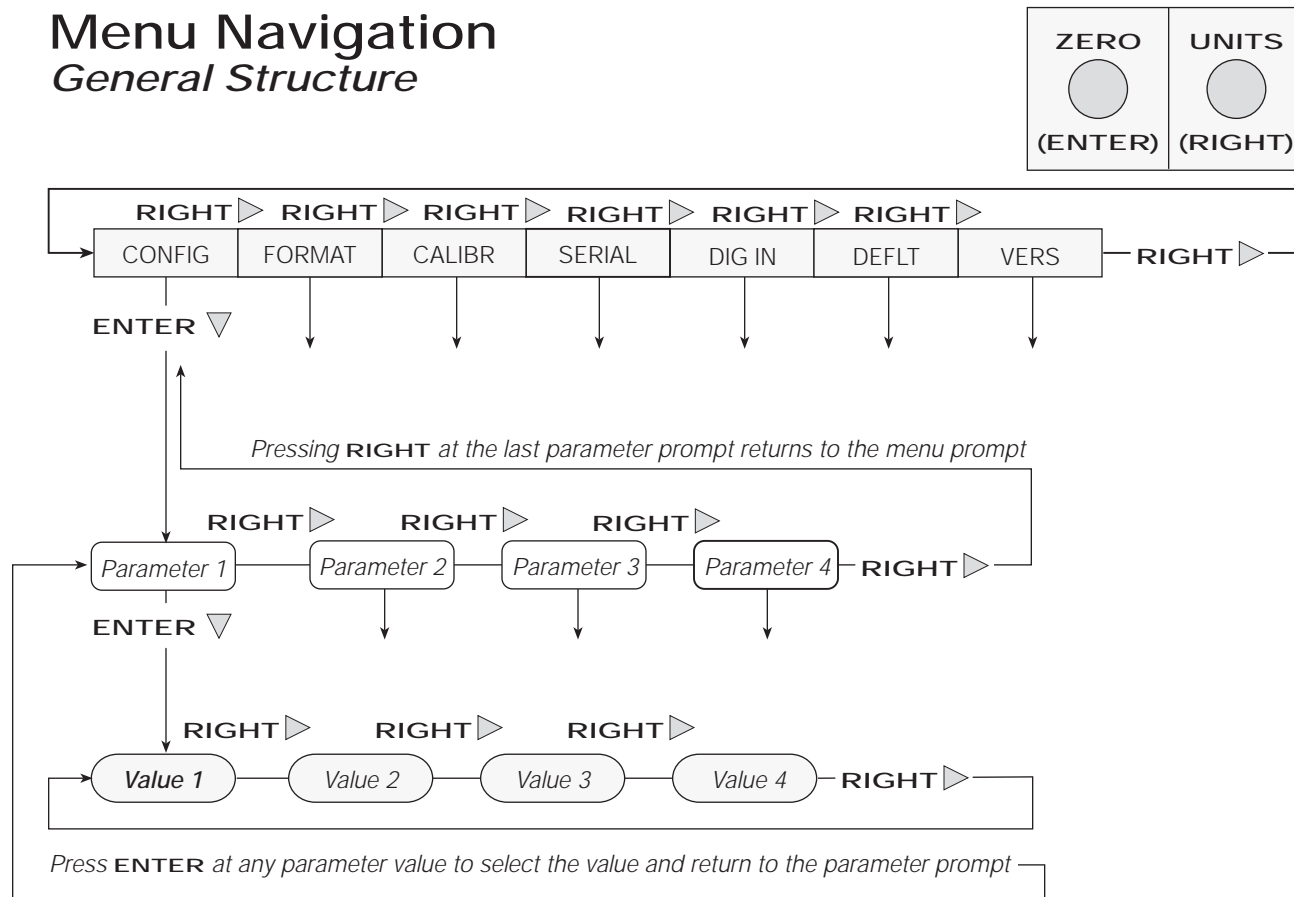


Figure 3-3. General Menu Structure

## Menu Navigation

### Serial Menu Example

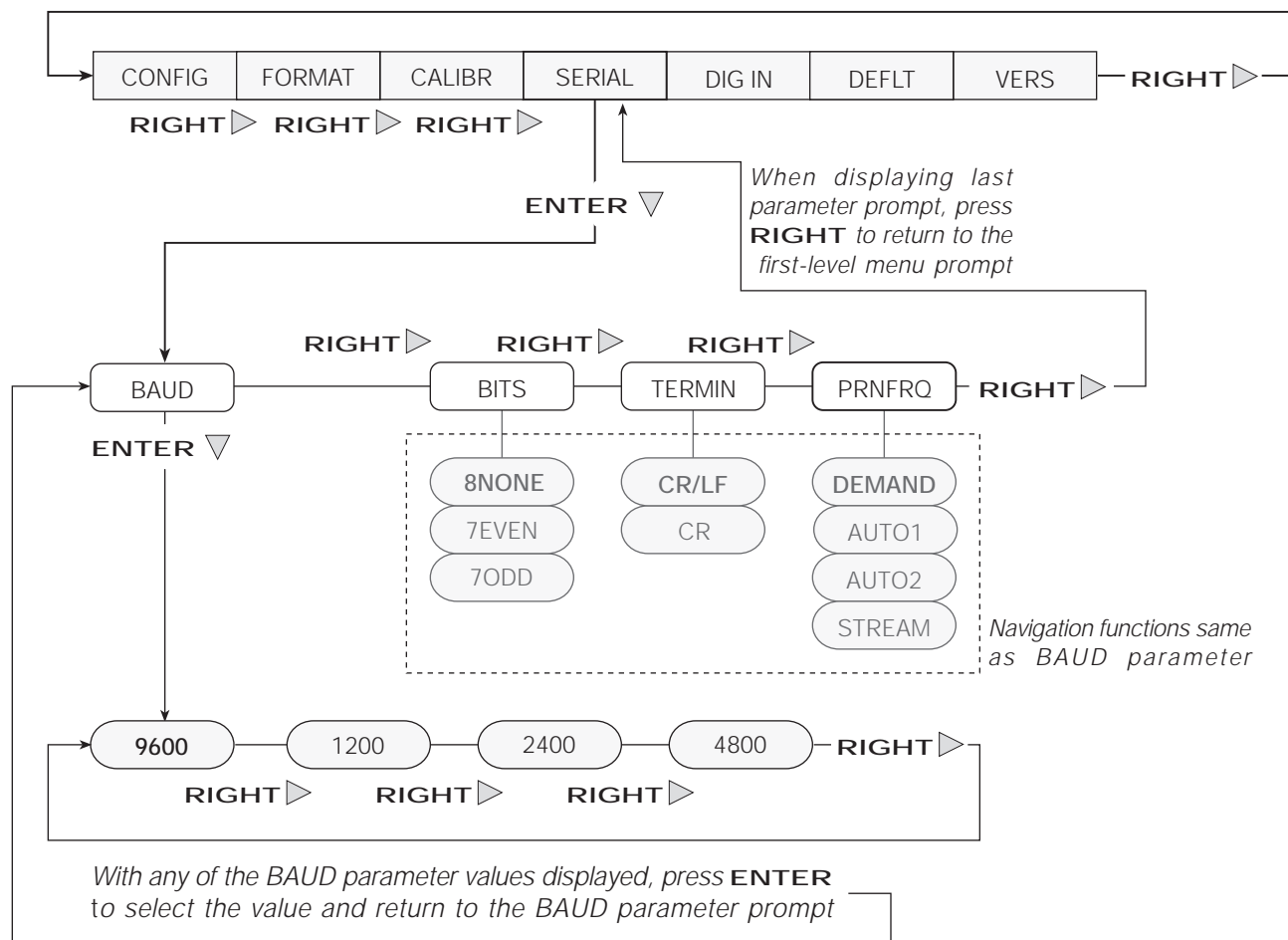
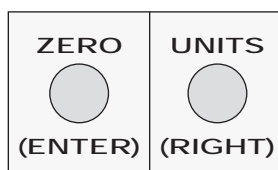


Figure 3-4. Setup Mode Menu Navigation



To edit numeric values, press the **UNITS (RIGHT)** button to select the leftmost digit. Each digit flashes when selected: Press **ZERO (ENTER)** to increment the value of the selected digit; press the **RIGHT** button to move right to the next digit.

Once the last digit has been edited, press **RIGHT** again and the digit stops flashing. Press **ENTER** to save the value entered and return to the menu level above, or press **RIGHT** to edit the value again, starting with the leftmost digit.

Figure 3-5. Editing Procedure for Numeric Values

## 3.2 Menu Structures and Parameter Descriptions

The following sections provide graphic representations of the IQ plus 210 menu structures. In the actual menu structure, the values under each parameter are arranged horizontally. To save page space, menu choices are shown in vertical columns. The factory default setting appears at the top of each column.

Most menu diagrams are accompanied by a table that describes all parameters and parameter values associated with that menu. Default parameter values are shown in bold type.

### 3.2.1 Configuration Menu

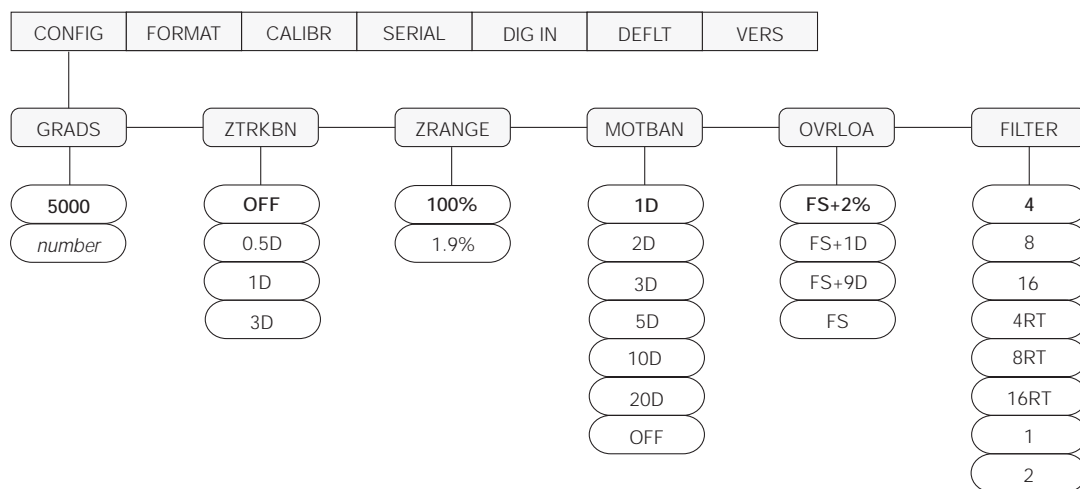


Figure 3-6. Configuration Menu

CONFIG Menu		
Parameter	Choices	Description
<i>Level 2 submenus</i>		
GRADS	<b>5000</b> number	Graduations. Specifies the number of full scale graduations. The value entered must be in the range 1–10 000 and should be consistent with legal requirements and environmental limits on system resolution.  To calculate GRADS, use the formula, $GRADS = Capacity / Display Divisions$ .  Display divisions for primary and secondary units are specified on the FORMAT menu.
ZTRKBN	<b>OFF</b> 0.5D 1D 3D	Zero track band. Automatically zeroes the scale when within the range specified, as long as the input is within the configured zero range (ZRANGE parameter). Selections are $\pm$ display divisions. Maximum legal value varies depending on local regulations.
ZRANGE	<b>100%</b> 1.9%	Zero range. Selects the range within which the scale can be zeroed. The 1.9% selection is $\pm 1.9\%$ around the calibrated zero point, for a total range of 3.8%. Indicator must be at standstill to zero the scale. Use 1.9% for legal-for-trade applications.
MOTBAN	<b>1D</b> 2D 3D 5D 10D 20D OFF	Motion band. Sets the level, in display divisions, at which scale motion is detected. If motion is not detected for 1 second or more, the standstill symbol lights. Some operations, including print, tare, and zero, require the scale to be at standstill. Maximum legal value varies depending on local regulations.  If OFF is selected, ZTRKBN should also be set to OFF.

Table 3-2. Configuration Menu Parameters

CONFIG Menu		
Parameter	Choices	Description
OVRL0A	FS+2% FS+1D FS+9D FS	Overload. Determines the point at which the display blanks and an out-of-range error message is displayed. Maximum legal value varies depending on local regulations.
FILTER	4 8 16 4RT 8RT 16RT 1 2	Digital filtering. Selects the digital filtering rate used to reduce the effects of mechanical vibration from the immediate area of the scale.  Choices indicate the number of A/D conversions that are averaged to obtain the displayed reading. A higher number gives a more accurate display by minimizing the effect of a few noisy readings, but slows down the settling rate of the indicator. Values with the RT suffix provide a raised threshold for filtering larger noise spikes.

Table 3-2. Configuration Menu Parameters (Continued)

### 3.2.2 Format Menu

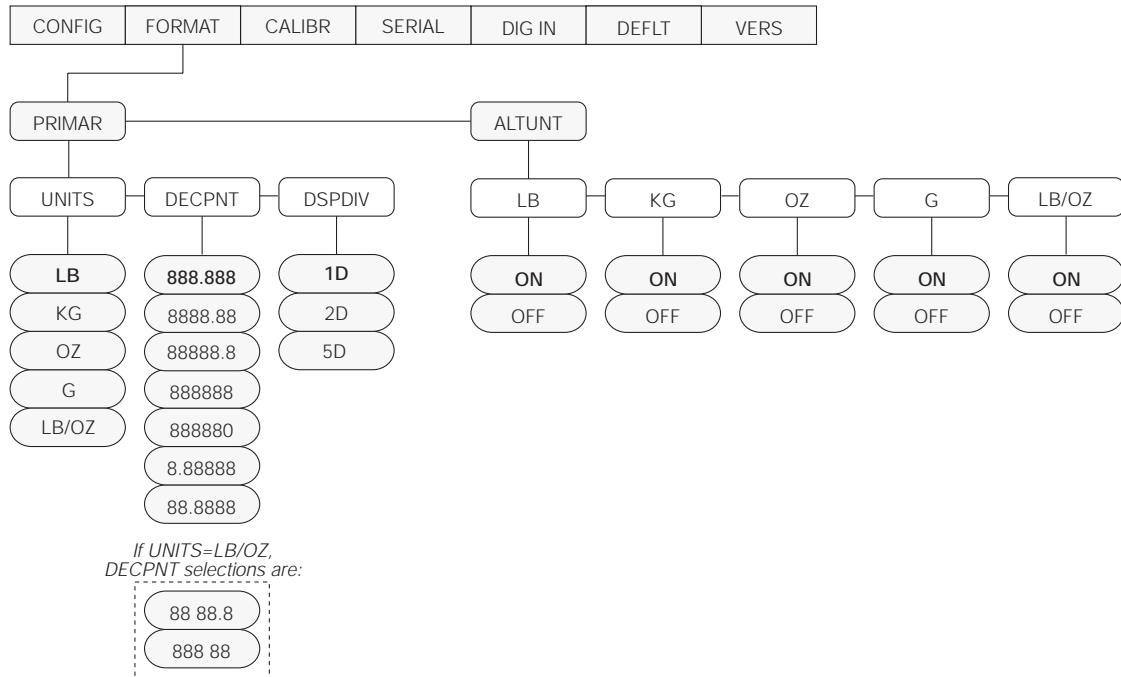


Figure 3-7. Format Menu

<b>FORMAT Menu</b>		
Parameter	Choices	Description
<b>Level 2 submenus</b>		
PRIMAR	UNITS DECPNT DSPDIV	Specifies the decimal position, display divisions, and units used for the primary units. See Level 3 submenu parameter descriptions.
ALTUNT	LB KG OZ G LB/OZ	Specifies which alternate units can be displayed by pressing the UNITS. See Level 3 submenu parameter descriptions.
<b>Level 3 submenus</b>		
<b>Primary Units (PRIMAR Parameter)</b>		
DECPNT	<b>888.888</b> 8888.88 88888.8 888888 888880 8.88888 88.8888 <i>or</i> 88 88.8 888 88	Decimal point location. Specifies the location of the decimal point or dummy zeroes in the primary unit display. Value should be consistent with local legal requirements.  If LB/OZ is selected as the primary unit, DECPNT selections are 88 88.8 and 888 88.
DSPDIV	<b>1D</b> 2D 5D	Display divisions. Selects the minimum division size for the primary units displayed weight.
UNITS	<b>LB</b> KG OZ G LB/OZ	Specifies primary units for displayed and printed weight. Values are: LB=pound; KG=kilogram; OZ=ounce; G=gram; LB/OZ=pounds and ounces.
<b>Alternate Units (ALTUNT Parameter)</b>		
LB KG OZ G LB/OZ	<b>ON</b> OFF	Alternate units. Determines which units are displayed when the UNITS button is pressed. The value for the primary unit (selected on the PRIMAR parameter) is always ON.

*Table 3-3. Format Menu Parameters*

3.2.3 Calibration Menu

See Section 4.0 on page 21 for calibration procedures.

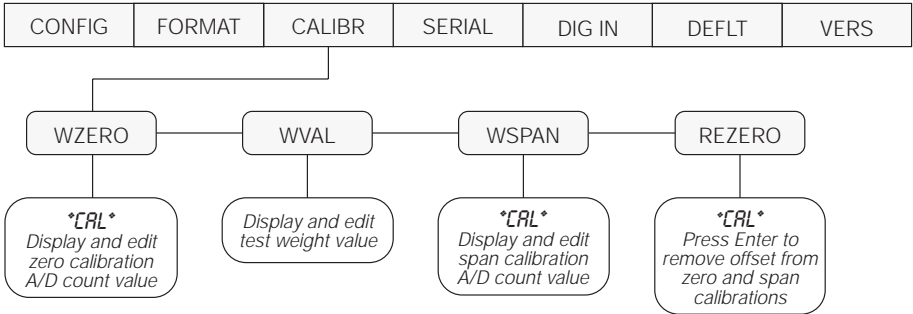


Figure 3-8. Calibration Menu

CALIBR Menu		
Parameter	Choices	Description
Level 2 submenus		
WZERO	—	Display and edit the zero calibration A/D count value.
WVAL	—	Display and edit the test weight value.
WSPAN	—	Display and edit the span calibration A/D count value.
REZERO	—	Press Enter to remove an offset value from the zero and span calibrations.  Use this parameter only after WZERO and WSPAN have been set. See Section 4.1 on page 21 for more information about using this parameter.

Table 3-4. Calibration Menu Parameters

### 3.2.4 Serial Menu

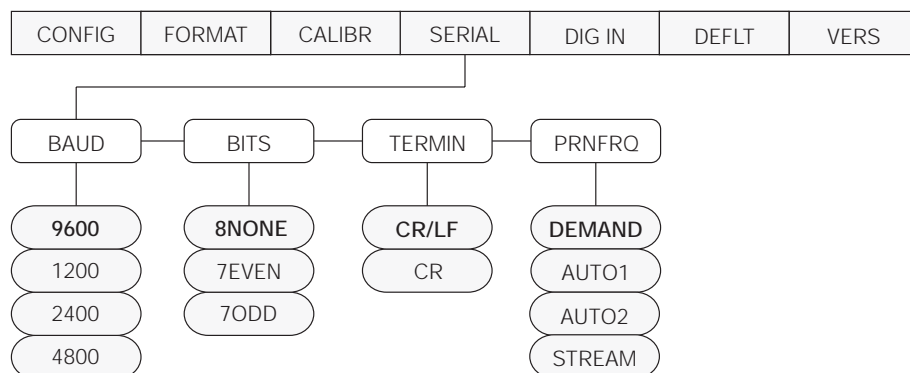


Figure 3-9. Serial Menu

SERIAL Menu		
Parameter	Choices	Description
BAUD	9600 1200 2400 4800	Baud rate. Selects the transmission speed for the serial port.
BITS	8NONE 7EVEN 7ODD	Selects number of data bits and parity of data transmitted from the serial port.
TERMIN	CR/LF CR	Termination character. Selects termination character for data sent from the serial port.
PRNFRO	DEMAND AUTO1 AUTO2 STREAM	<p>Print frequency. Specifies when the indicator sends data to the serial port:</p> <p>DEMAND: When a PRINT digital input is activated or the KPRINT EDP command received.</p> <p>AUTO1: Output enabled by scale in motion; transmitted when scale returns to standstill.</p> <p>AUTO2: Output enabled by scale at center of zero; transmitted when a positive scale weight is at standstill.</p> <p>STREAM: Continuous output. See Section 6.3 on page 27 for output format.</p> <p><i>Weight data is sent to the serial port in displayed units except when other units are specified using one of the XGx EDP commands (see Section 5.1.5 on page 25).</i></p> <p>If DEMAND, AUTO1, or AUTO2, is selected for this parameter, serial output is formatted as follows:</p> <p><b>wwwwwww uu GROSS</b></p> <p>where <b>wwwwwww</b> is a 7-digit weight field (leading zeroes suppressed, including decimal point and minus sign, if required), <b>uu</b> is the units designator (lb, kg, oz, or G).</p> <p>If pounds/ounces (LB/OZ) is specified as the primary units, the serial output is formatted as shown below:</p> <p><b>xxx lb yyyy oz GROSS</b></p> <p>where <b>xxx</b> is the three-digit pounds weight (including minus sign, if required) followed by <b>lb</b> and a space; and <b>yyyy</b> is the four-digit ounce weight (including decimal point) followed by <b>oz</b>.</p>

Table 3-5. Serial Menu Parameters

### 3.2.5 Digital Input Menu

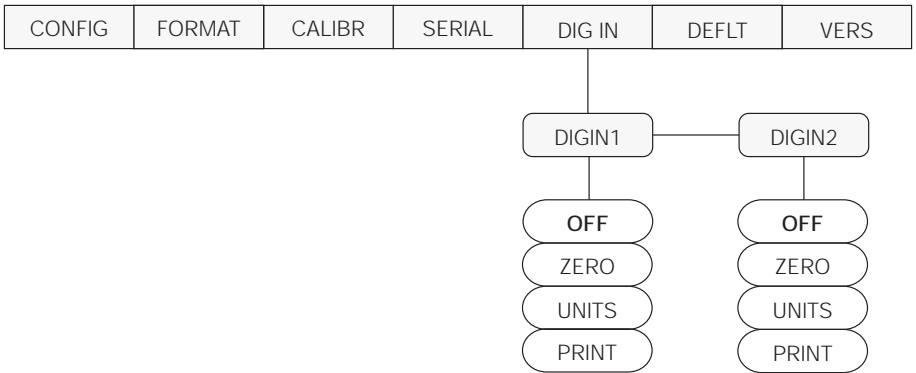


Figure 3-10. Digital Input Menu

DIG IN Menu		
Parameter	Choices	Description
<i>Level 2 submenus</i>		
DIGIN1 DIGIN2	OFF ZERO UNITS PRINT	Specifies the function activated by digital inputs 1 and 2.

Table 3-6. Digital Input Menu Parameters

### 3.2.6 Default Menu

The DEFLT menu is used to reset indicator configuration to the default values. There are no parameters associated with the DEFLT menu. From the DEFLT menu, press **ENTER** (**ZERO**) to move down to the RESET parameter. Press **ENTER** again to reset the indicator to the default configuration values or press **RIGHT** (**UNITS**) to cancel the indicator reset and return to the menu level above. **NOTE:** All load cell calibration settings are lost when the RESET function is performed.

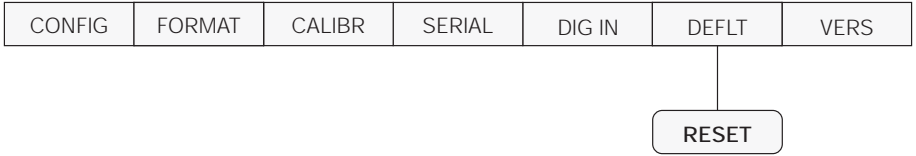


Figure 3-11. Default Menu

### 3.2.7 Version Menu

The VERS menu is used to check the software version installed in the indicator. There are no parameters associated with the VERS menu: when selected, the indicator displays the installed software version number.

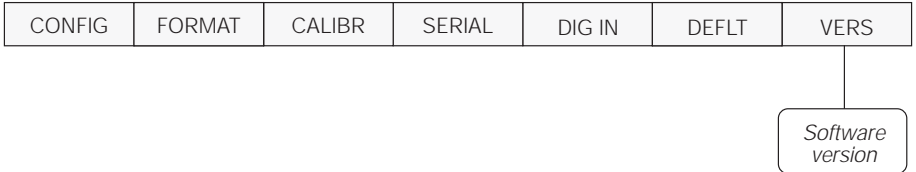


Figure 3-12. Version Menu



## 4.0 Calibration

The IQ plus 210 can be calibrated using the front panel, EDP commands, or the Revolution™ configuration utility. Each method consists of the following steps:

- Zero calibration
- Entering the test weight value
- Span calibration
- Optional rezero calibration for test weights using hooks or chains.

The following sections describe the calibration procedure for each of the calibration methods.

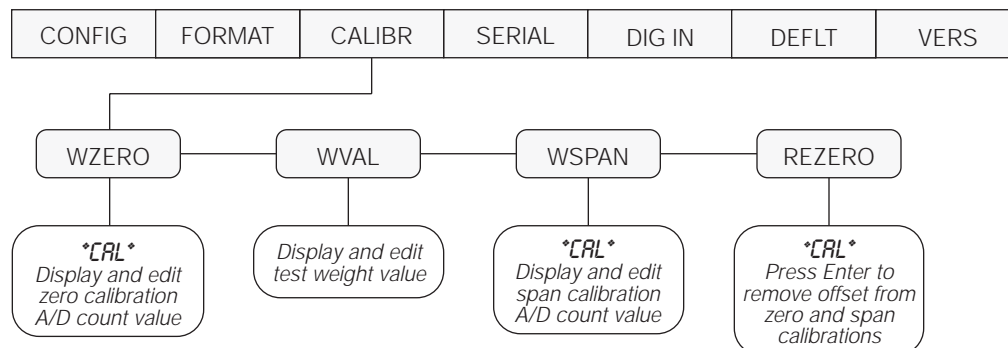


Figure 4-1. Calibration (CALIBR) Menu

### 4.1 Front Panel Calibration

To calibrate the indicator using the front panel, do the following:

1. Place the indicator in setup mode (display reads *CONFIG*) and remove all weight from the scale platform. If your test weights require hooks or chains, place the hooks or chains on the scale for zero calibration.
2. Press the **RIGHT (UNITS)** button until the display reads *CALIBR* (see Figure 4-1). Press **ENTER (ZERO)** to go to zero calibration (*WZERO*).
3. With *WZERO* displayed, press **ENTER** to calibrate zero. The indicator displays °*CAL*° while calibration is in progress. When complete, the A/D count for the zero calibration is displayed. Press **ENTER** again to save the zero calibration value and return to the *WZERO* prompt or use the procedure shown in Figure 4-2 to edit the value. When done, press **RIGHT** to go to the *WVAL* prompt.
4. With *WVAL* displayed, press **ENTER** to show the test weight value. If the value is equal to the test weight you are using, press **ENTER** again to save the value and return to the *WVAL* prompt; if the value is incorrect, use the procedure shown in Figure 4-2 to edit the value. When done, press **RIGHT** to go to the *WSPAN* prompt.

**NOTE:** When calibrating the indicator with *LB/OZ* as the primary unit, enter the *WVAL* value in ounces. For example, to calibrate a 5 lb scale using *LB/OZ*, enter 80 (5 lb x 16 oz/lb) as the *WVAL* value.

5. With *WSPAN* displayed, place test weights on the scale then press **ENTER** to calibrate span. The indicator displays °*CAL*° while calibration is in progress. When complete, the A/D count for the span calibration is displayed. Press **ENTER** again to save the span calibration value and return to the *WSPAN* prompt or use the procedure shown in Figure 4-2 to edit the value. When done, press **RIGHT** to go to the *REZERO* prompt.



To edit numeric values, press the **UNITS (RIGHT)** button to select the leftmost digit. Each digit flashes when selected: Press **ZERO (ENTER)** to increment the value of the selected digit; press the **RIGHT** button to move right to the next digit.

Once the last digit has been edited, press **RIGHT** again and the digit stops flashing. Press **ENTER** to save the value entered and return to the menu level above, or press **RIGHT** to edit the value again, starting with the leftmost digit.

Figure 4-2. Editing Procedure for Numeric Values

6. The rezero function is used to remove a calibration offset when hooks or chains are used to hang the test weights.
  - If no other apparatus was used to hang the test weights during calibration, remove the test weights and press RIGHT to return to the CALIBR menu.
  - If hooks or chains were used during calibration, remove these and the test weights from the scale. With all weight removed, press ENTER to rezero the scale. This function adjusts the zero and span calibration values. The indicator displays °CAL° while the zero and span calibrations are adjusted. When complete, the adjusted A/D count for the zero calibration is displayed. Press ENTER again to save the rezero value and return to the REZERO prompt or use the procedure shown in Figure 4-2 to edit the value. When done, press RIGHT to return to the CALIBR menu.
7. Press the setup switch to exit setup mode.

## 4.2 EDP Command Calibration

To calibrate the indicator using EDP commands, the indicator EDP port must be connected to a terminal or personal computer. (See Section 2.3.3 on page 5 for EDP port pin assignments; see Section 5.0 on page 23 for more information about using EDP commands.) Once the indicator is connected to the sending device, do the following:

1. Place the indicator in setup mode (display reads CONFIG) and remove all weight from the scale platform. If your test weights require hooks or chains, place the hooks or chains on the scale for zero calibration.
2. Send the WZERO EDP command to calibrate zero. The indicator displays °CAL° while calibration is in progress.
3. Send the WVAL command to enter the test weight value in the following format:  
WVAL=nnnnnn<CR>
4. Place test weights on scale equal to the specified WVAL.
5. Send the WSPAN EDP command to calibrate span. The indicator displays °CAL° while calibration is in progress.
6. To remove an offset value, clear all weight from the scale, including hooks or chains used to hang test weights, then send the REZERO EDP command. The indicator displays °CAL° while the zero and span calibrations are adjusted.
7. Send the KEXIT EDP command to exit setup mode.

## 4.3 Revolution™ Calibration

To calibrate the indicator using Revolution, the indicator must be in setup mode with the EDP port connected to a PC running the Revolution configuration utility. Use the following procedure to calibrate the indicator:

1. Select *Calibrate Indicator* from the Revolution main menu.
2. On the Weight Calibration display, select the indicator model (IQ+210) and communications port then click *OK*.
3. Revolution uploads calibration data from the indicator then presents the information in a display like that shown in Figure 4-3.
4. Enter the *Value of Test Weight* to be used for span calibration then click *OK*.
5. The Zero Calibration dialog box prompts you to remove all weight from the scale. Clear the scale and click *OK* to begin zero calibration.  
**NOTE:** *If your test weights require hooks or chains, place the hooks or chains on the scale for zero calibration.*
6. When zero calibration is complete, the Span Calibration dialog box prompts you to place test weights on the scale for span calibration. Place test weights on the scale then click *OK*.
7. The Rezero dialog box prompts you to remove all weight, from the scale (including hooks or chains). Remove the weights then click *OK*.
8. When calibration is complete, the *New Settings* fields of the Weight Calibration display are filled in. Click *Exit* to save the new values and return to the Revolution main menu; to restore the previous calibration values, click *Restore Settings*.



Figure 4-3. Revolution Calibration Display

## 5.0 EDP Commands

The IQ plus 210 indicator can be controlled by a personal computer or remote keyboard connected to the indicator serial port. Control is provided by a set of EDP commands that can simulate front panel key press functions, display and change setup parameters, and perform reporting functions. The EDP port provides the capability to print configuration data or to save that data to an attached personal computer. This section describes the EDP command set and procedures for saving and transferring data using the serial port.

### 5.1 The EDP Command Set

The EDP command set can be divided into five groups: key press commands, reporting commands, the RESETCONFIGURATION special function command, parameter setting commands, and transmit weight data commands.

When the indicator processes an EDP command, it responds with the message *OK*. The *OK* response verifies that the command was received and has been executed. If the command is unrecognized or cannot be executed, the indicator responds with *??*.

The following sections list the commands and command syntax used for each of these groups.

#### 5.1.1 Key Press Commands

Key press EDP commands (see Table 5-1) simulate pressing the buttons on the front panel of the indicator.

Command	Function
KZERO	Press the ZERO button
KUNITS	Press the UNITS button
KPRIM	Display primary units
KPRINT	Send demand data to serial port
KRIGHTARROW	In setup mode, move right in the menu (press the UNITS button)
KENTER	In setup mode, press the ENTER (ZERO) button
KEXIT	In setup mode only, exit setup mode

Table 5-1. EDP Key Press Commands

#### 5.1.2 Reporting Commands

Reporting commands (see Table 5-2) send specific information to the EDP port. These commands can be used in both setup mode and normal mode.

Command	Function
DUMPALL	List all parameter values
VERSION	Write IQ plus 210 software version
P	Write current displayed weight. See Section 6.2 on page 27 for more information.
ZZ	Write current weight and annunciator status. See Section 6.2 on page 27 for more information.
RS	Reset the indicator
S	Write one frame of stream format

Table 5-2. EDP Reporting Commands

#### 5.1.3 The RESETCONFIGURATION Command

The RESETCONFIGURATION command can be used to restore all configuration parameters to their default values.

This command is equivalent to using the RESET function on the DEFLT menu.

**NOTE:** All load cell calibration settings are lost when the RESETCONFIGURATION command is run.

#### 5.1.4 Parameter Setting Commands

Parameter setting commands allow you to display or change the current value for a particular configuration parameter (Tables 5-3 through 5-8).

Current configuration parameter settings can be displayed in either setup mode or normal mode using the following syntax:

*command*<ENTER>

Most parameter values only can be changed in setup mode. Use the following command syntax when changing parameter values:

*command*=*value*<ENTER>

where *value* is a number or a parameter value. Use no spaces before or after the equal (=) sign. If you type an incorrect command or value, the display reads *??*. Changes to the parameters are saved as they are entered but typically do not take effect until you exit setup mode.

For example, to set the motion band parameter to 5, type the following:

*MOTBAND=5D*<ENTER>

Command	Description	Values
GRADS	Graduations	1–10 000
ZTRKBD	Zero track band	OFF, 0.5D, 1D, 3D
ZRANGE	Zero range	1.9%, 100%
MOTBAND	Motion band	1D, 2D, 3D, 5D, 10D, 20D, OFF
OVRLD	Overload	FS+2%, FS+1D, FS+9D, FS
FILTER	Digital filtering	1, 2, 4, 8, 16, 4RT, 8RT, 16RT

*Table 5-3. CONFIG EDP Commands*

Command	Description	Values
PRI.DCPNT	Primary units decimal position	8.88888, 88.8888, 888.888, 8888.88, 88888.8, 888888, 888880 (88 88.8 or 888 88 in LB/OZ display mode)
PRI.DSPDIV	Primary units display divisions	1D, 2D, 5D
PRI.UNITS	Primary units	LB, KG, OZ, G, LB/OZ
ALT.LB ALT.KG ALT.OZ ALT.G ALT.LBOZ	Enable alternate units	ON, OFF

*Table 5-4. FORMAT EDP Commands*

Command	Description	Values
WZERO	Zero calibration	—
WVAL	Test weight value	<i>test_weight_value</i>
WSPAN	Span calibration	—
REZERO	Rezero	—
LC.CD	Set deadload count	<i>value</i>
LC.CW	Set span count	<i>value</i>

*Table 5-5. CALIBR EDP Commands*

Command	Description	Values
EDP.BAUD	Serial port baud rate	1200, 2400, 4800, 9600
EDP.BITS	Serial port data bits/parity	8NONE, 7EVEN, 7ODD
EDP.TERMIN	Serial port termination character	CR/LF, CR
PRNFREQ	Print frequency	DEMAND, AUTO1, AUTO2, STREAM

*Table 5-6. SERIAL EDP Commands*

Command	Description	Values
DIGIN1 DIGIN2	Digital input function	OFF, ZERO, UNITS, PRINT

*Table 5-7. DIG IN EDP Commands*

### 5.1.5 Normal Mode Commands

The serial transmit weight data commands (see Table 5-8) transmit data to the serial port on demand. The transmit weight data commands are valid only in normal operating mode.

Command	Description	Response Format
SX	Start serial streaming	OK or ??
EX	Stop serial streaming	OK or ??
RS	Reset system	—
XG	Transmit gross weight in displayed units	<i>nnnnnn UU</i> where <i>nnnnnn</i> is the weight value, <i>UU</i> is the units.
XGL	Transmit gross weight in pounds	
XGK	Transmit gross weight in kilograms	
XGO	Transmit gross weight in ounces	
XGG	Transmit gross weight in grams	
XGC	Transmit gross weight in pounds and ounces	
XE	Query system error conditions	<i>nnnnn nnnnn</i> See Section 6.1.2 on page 26 for detailed information about the XE command response format.

Table 5-8. Normal Mode EDP Commands

## 5.2 Saving and Transferring Data

Connecting a personal computer to the IQ plus 210 EDP port allows you to save indicator configuration data to the PC or to download configuration data from the PC to an indicator. The following sections describe the procedures for these save and transfer operations.

### 5.2.1 Saving Indicator Data to a Personal Computer

Configuration data can be saved to a personal computer connected to the EDP port. The PC must be running a communications program such as PROCOMMPLUS®. See Section 2.3.3 on page 5 for information about serial communications wiring and EDP port pin assignments.

When configuring the indicator, ensure that the values set for the BAUD and BITS parameters on the SERIAL menu match the baud rate, bits, and parity settings configured for the serial port on the PC.

To save all configuration data, send the DUMPALL EDP command to the indicator. The IQ plus 210 responds by sending all configuration parameters to the PC as ASCII-formatted text.

### 5.2.2 Downloading Configuration Data from PC to Indicator

Configuration data saved on a PC or floppy disk can be downloaded from the PC to an indicator. This procedure is useful when a number of indicators with similar configurations are set up or when an indicator is replaced.

To download configuration data, connect the PC to the EDP port as described in Section 5.2.1. Place the indicator in setup mode and use the PC communications software to send the saved configuration data to the indicator. When transfer is complete, calibrate the indicator as described in Section 4.0 on page 21.

#### NOTES:

- Calibration settings are included in the configuration data downloaded to the indicator. If the receiving indicator is a direct replacement for another IQ plus 210 and the attached scale is not changed, recalibration is not required.
- When downloading configurations that include changed serial communications settings, edit the data file to place the serial communications changes at the end of the file. Communication between the PC and indicator will be lost once the indicator receives settings for baud rate (BAUD parameter) or data bits and parity (BITS parameter) that do not match those configured for the PC.

## 6.0 Appendix

### 6.1 Error Messages

The IQ plus 210 indicator provides a number of error messages. When an error occurs, the message is shown on the indicator LED display. Error conditions can also be checked remotely by using the XE EDP command as described in Section 6.1.2.

Error Message	Description	Solution
E A/D	A/D physical error	Call Rice Lake Weighing Systems (RLWS) Service.
EEEROM	EEPROM physical error	
EVIREE	Virgin EEPROM	Use the DEFLT menu to restore defaults, then recalibrate load cells.
EPCKSM	Parameter checksum error	
EACKSM	A/D calibration checksum error	A/D converter requires recalibration. Call RLWS Service.
ELCKSM	Load cell calibration checksum error	Recalibrate load cells.
EIDATA	Internal RAM checksum error	Call RLWS Service.
INOVFL	Internal overflow error	Remove weight from scale. If error recurs, check configuration, check scale for damage.
OVERFL	Overflow error	Weight value too large to be displayed.
-----	Gross > overload limit	Gross value exceeds overload limit. Check configuration.
-----	A/D underrange	A/D reading < -4 mV. Check scale for binding or damage.

Table 6-1. IQ plus 210 Error Messages

#### 6.1.1 Displayed Error Messages

The IQ plus 210 provides a number of front panel error messages to assist in problem diagnosis. Table 6-1 lists these messages and their meanings.

#### 6.1.2 Using the XE EDP Command

The XE EDP command can be used to remotely query the IQ plus 210 for the error conditions shown on the front panel. The XE command returns two 5-digit numbers in the format:

xxxxx yyyyy

where xxxxx contains a decimal representation of any existing error conditions as described in Table 6-2.

If more than one error condition exists, the number returned is the sum of the values representing the error conditions. For example, if the XE command returns the number 528, this value represents the sum of an A/D physical error (512) and an A/D calibration checksum error (16).

The second number returned (yyyyy) uses the same bit assignments as shown in Table 6-2 to indicate whether the test for the error condition was run. For example, the value yyyyy = 51807 represents the decimal equivalent of the binary value 1100 1110 0111 1111. Using the bit assignments in Table 6-2, this value indicates all tests were run.

Error Code	Description	Binary Value
0	No error	0000 0000 0000 0000
1	EEPROM physical error	0000 0000 0000 0001
2	Virgin EEPROM	0000 0000 0000 0010
4	Parameter checksum error	0000 0000 0000 0100
8	Load cell calibration checksum error	0000 0000 0000 1000
16	A/D calibration checksum error	0000 0000 0001 0000
32	<i>not assigned</i>	0000 0000 0010 0000
64	Internal RAM checksum error	0000 0000 0100 0000
128	<i>not assigned</i>	0000 0000 1000 0000
256	<i>not assigned</i>	0000 0001 0000 0000
512	A/D physical error	0000 0010 0000 0000
1024	<i>not assigned</i>	0000 0100 0000 0000
2048	Internal overflow error	0000 1000 0000 0000
4096	<i>not assigned</i>	0001 0000 0000 0000
8192	<i>not assigned</i>	0010 0000 0000 0000
16384	A/D underrange	0100 0000 0000 0000
32768	Gross > overload limit	1000 0000 0000 0000

Table 6-2. Error Codes Returned on XE Command

## 6.2 Status Messages

Two EDP commands, P and ZZ, can be used to provide status about the indicator. These commands are described in the following sections.

### 6.2.1 Using the P EDP Command

The P EDP command returns the current displayed weight value to the EDP port. If the indicator is in an underrange or overload condition, the weight value is replaced with &&&&&& (overload) or ::::: (underrange).

### 6.2.2 Using the ZZ EDP Command

The ZZ EDP command can be used to remotely query which annunciators are currently displayed on the indicator front panel. The ZZ command returns the currently displayed weight and a decimal number representing the LED annunciators currently lit. The format of the returned data is:

**wwwwww**      **zzz**

where **wwwwww** is the current displayed weight, **zzz** is the annunciator status value (see Table 6-3). If more than one annunciator is lit, the second number returned is the sum of the values representing the active annunciators.

For example, if the annunciator status value returned on the ZZ command is 136, the center of zero and lb annunciators are lit: 136 represents the sum of the values for the center of zero annunciator (128) and the lb annunciator (8).

Decimal Value	Annunciator
1	<i>Reserved</i>
2	Negative value
4	oz
8	lb
16	g
32	kg
64	Motion
128	Center of zero

Table 6-3. Status Codes Returned on the ZZ Command

## 6.3 Continuous Output (Stream) Format

Figure 6-1 shows the continuous output format sent to the IQ plus 210 EDP or printer port when the STREAM parameter (SERIAL menu) is set to either EDP or PRN.

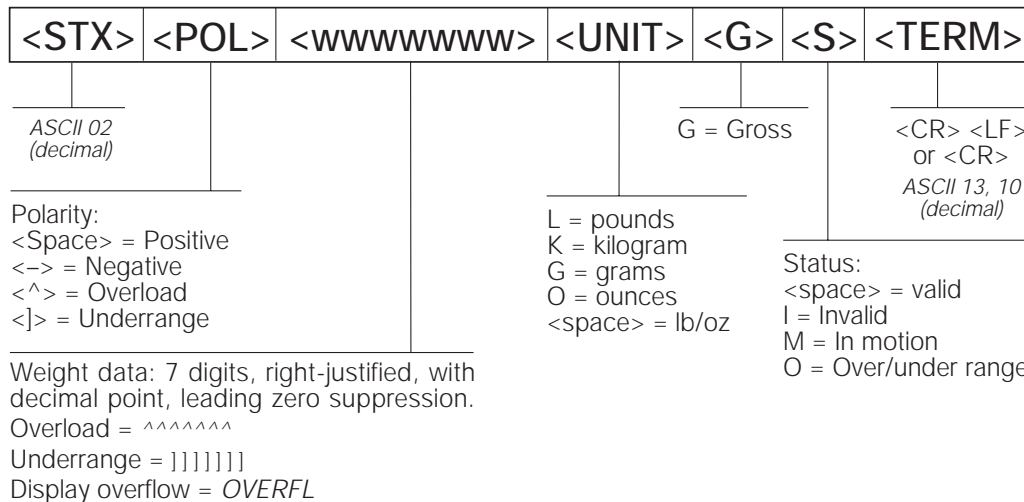


Figure 6-1. Continuous Output Data Format

## 6.4 Specifications

### Power

Line Voltages	115 or 230 VAC
Frequency	50 or 60 Hz
Power Consumption	70 mA @ 115 VAC (8W) 35 mA @ 230 VAC (8W)
Fusing	
115 VAC	2 x 200 mA TR5 subminiature fuses Wickmann Time-Lag 19374 Series UL Listed, CSA Certified
230 VAC	2 x 100 mA TR5 subminiature fuses Wickmann Time-Lag 19372 Series UL Recognized, VDE Approved

### Analog Specifications

Full Scale Input Signal	Up to 35 mV
Excitation Voltage	10 ± 0.25 VDC, 4 x 350Ω load cells
Analog Signal	
Input Range	0.6 mV/V – 4.5 mV/V
Analog Signal	
Sensitivity	0.3 μV/graduation minimum, 1.5 μV/grad recommended
Input Impedance	200 MΩ, typical
Display Resolution	10 000 dd
Input Sensitivity	155 nV per internal count
System Linearity	Within 0.01% of full scale
Calibration Method	Software, constants stored in EEPROM
Common Mode	
Voltage	–1.05 to +0.95 V, referred to earth
Input Overload	± 12 V continuous, static discharge protected
RFI Protection	Signal, excitation, and sense lines protected by capacitor bypass

### Digital Specifications

Digital Inputs	2 inputs, TTL or switch closure, active-low
Digital Filter	Software selectable

### Serial Communications

Serial Port	Full duplex RS-232; 9600, 4800, 2400, 1200 bps; 7 or 8 data bits; even, odd, or no parity
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### Operator Interface

Display	6-digit LED display. 7-segment, .8 in (20 mm) digits
LED annunciators	Negative value, center of zero, motion, kg, g, lb, oz
Keypad	2 piezo switches

### Environmental

Operating Temperature	–10 to +40°C (legal); –10 to +50°C (industrial)
Storage Temperature	–25 to +70°C
Humidity	0–95% relative humidity
Altitude	2000 m (6500 ft) maximum

### Enclosure

Enclosure Dimensions	9.5 in x 6 in x 2.75 in 24 cm x 15 cm x 7 cm
Weight	6.1 lb (2.8 Kg)
Rating/Material	NEMA 4X/IP66, stainless steel



## IQ plus 210 Limited Warranty

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- Individual electronic components returned to RLWS for warranty purposes must be packaged to prevent electrostatic discharge (ESD) damage in shipment. Packaging requirements are listed in a publication, *Protecting Your Components From Static Damage in Shipment*, available from RLWS Equipment Return Department.
- Examination of such equipment by RLWS confirms that the nonconformity actually exists, and was not caused by accident, misuse, neglect, alteration, improper installation, improper repair or improper testing; RLWS shall be the sole judge of all alleged non-conformities.
- Such equipment has not been modified, altered, or changed by any person other than RLWS or its duly authorized repair agents.
- RLWS will have a reasonable time to repair or replace the defective equipment. Buyer is responsible for shipping charges both ways.
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